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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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### DETAILED ACTION

1. In response to the communications dated June 20, 2003, claims 1-20 are active in this application.

#### *Response to Amendment*

2. The reply filed on June 20, 2003 is not fully responsive to the Prior Office Action dated on Jan. 28, 2003 because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant stated that claims 1-20 read on the elected species III, the examiner disagrees because only claims 1-4, 9-10, 11-13, 15-17 and 19-20 read on this particular species (claims 5-8, 14 and 18 read on the non-elected species I, II, and IV). Furthermore, applicant also elected Species I, claims 5 and 14 read on this species (claims 1-4, 9-13, 15-17 and 19-20 are generic to Species I). Note: Applicant should elect one species only (either species I or III, NOT both). See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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*Conclusion*

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jack Chen whose telephone number is (703) 308-5838. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (alternate Monday off) from 8:30 am to 6:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl Whitehead, Jr., can be reached on (703)308-4940. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are 703-872-9318 for regular communications and 703-872-9319 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703)308-0956.



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